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Docket No.: 1614.

n re the Application of:

Yoshifusa TOGAWA

Serial No. 10/667,790

Group Art Unit: 2116

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For:

POWER CONTROL OF REMOTE APPARATUS VIA NETWORK

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(C)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An RCE and IDS are being filed concurrently with this Petition.

It is hereby requested that the above-referenced application be withdrawn from issue so that the RCE and IDS can be considered by the Examiner. More specifically, the references submitted in the IDS have not yet been considered by the Examiner. The Petition, RCE and IDS were filed so that the references can be considered. The undersigned attorney believes that the applicants only discovered the references several days before the filing of this Petition.

Enclosed is the required Petition fee of \$130.00. If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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